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Enclosed are:

☒ X A specification consisting of 35 pages☒ X 1 sheet(s) of formal drawings☒ X An assignment of the invention - \$40.00 Recording Fee☒ X Certified copy of Priority Document(s)☒ X Executed Declaration ☒ X Original ☐ Photocopy☐ Applicant claims small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27☐ Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.76

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